

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/566,301 Confirmation No. 2012
Applicant : Shiro Tsukamoto
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Art Unit : 1795
Examiner : Jason Berman
Customer No. : 00270
Title : SPUTTERING TARGET AND METHOD FOR
FINISHING SURFACE OF SUCH TARGET

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is an Amendment submitted with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in timely response to a FINAL Office Action dated September 29, 2009. Kindly amend the application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.